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### Senator Gore.

gress, just closed, had done nothing complacent assumption that the Messrs. more than introduce Senator Gore, of Wright are willing to accept a commis-Oklahoma, to the country, we think it sion in the military establishment and, tirely worth while.

We speak an honest conviction when the Wright brothers have received honors us in respect of that. we say we believe he is a marked addi- compared with which an appointment as tion to the Senate of the United States, a first lieutenant in any branch of the and we shall be distinctly disappointed army would seem paltry. They have been if we do not hear great things of him or will be paid something like \$30,000 title him to be called colonel. in the future. He has loomed large in for the aeroplane; they have received debate, and he has compelled abundant Congressional medals, and have been the attention and respect from the Senatorial objects of conspicuous attention on the is unusual that a new Senator should do ernments. They have gained fame which it may be said. that-and the Senator is, comparatively is such as attaches to the pioneer in any speaking, a new Senator, not yet having branch of invention and initial construcserved three years.

turesque. His physical infirmity throws that consideration, there appears to be something of a pathetic glamour around no reason why the Wright brothers contemplates his general trend of thought including vehicles, for appointment to the and analyzes his utterances, one forgets army. There is no special reason why that he is blind, and remembers only military-naval appointments should be that he is a statesman, a scholar, and a patriot.

opinion that those "insurgent" Republican Senators and Representatives of the Middle West should not be opposed and it is hoped that their patient industry larity throughout Europe. Some of those and professor's chair. place my country above my party," said the form of appointment to the army, Mr. Gore in discussing that matter; and his words should sink deep into the hearts of his countrymen. They were well said, and they reflect much credit on

After all is said and done, Congress should build for the whole country's the country where some of the dwellers nonsectional and nonpartisan lines. vors to none" is ancient doctrine, of how many are willing to turn to rural brated octopus. course, and utterly obsolete in some life, with an abundance of both work philosophy, but we think that Senator and food, and away from the urban ates it.

has held his own with the best of them- sons. A system of rural colonies in that are not juggled and that do not lie. Similar work by the Salvation Army in attractive way of framing up what he has results that are considered to war has to say, and he makes the country rant its continuance. The United Jew sit up and take notice when he speaks. ish Charities in New York is accom-As we said before, we confidently ex- plishing much good by sending immipect to hear much of Gore in the days grants to the South and West, thus re to come.

## Revision by a Dual Tariff.

where none is intended. This trick de- of themselves in the country. It may ceives nobody, and the net result of it be doubted whether care and instruction is to build higher the tariff wall, since can make successful the assisted rural the tendency of protective industries is colonization of those who live even the to demand the permanence of the highest, lower and harder life of the city. that is, the prohibitive rates.

These observations apply with accuracy to the maximum and minimum provisions of the new tariff bill, which appear for the first time in an American tariff. As- Mr. Heyburn has vacated his Senatorial suming that the rates of duty fixed by seat sine die. Wherefore, we conclude the various paragraphs of the bill con- the tariff has been "revised satisfacstitute in some mysterious way a "con- toriiy." cession" to foreign countries for which a "The Washington Herald calls it 'the return concession is due, the provisions inglorious end of the special session. referred to impose a maximum tariff, ad- This is putting it mildly," says the ditional to these rates, of 25 per cent ad Rochester Herald. Perhaps words would valorem, applicable to all countries which have failed us had we undertaken to exrefuse to grant us the concessions to press all we feel in this matter. which we think we are entitled. The joke "The people of Cleveland, Ohio, have about this business is that the foreign just voted against 8-cent car fares. They countries at which our threats are aimed want the privilege of paying as much for can also revise their tariffs upward, and a ride as the next fellow," says the Sathen say that in response to your "con- vannah Press. The real truth is, in all cession" of such and such higher rates probability, they did not want to buy a we are pleased to proffer you our own gold brick. "concession" of such and such equally The common people are notoriously higher rates. France, for example, is hard headed. Notwithstanding our warnnow engaged in revising her tariff. In ing that steam yachts would be costlier order to retaliate upon us, and yet escape under the new tariff law, we suppose they the terrible threat of our maximum, all slept right along and neglected to lay she has to do is to raise the general level in their winter's supply of yachts. of her dual tariff, and "concede" to us "I sincerely believe that this law will the higher rates of her new minimum. bring a maximum of prosperity to the

around!

THE WASHINGTON HERALD is to fasten higher rates of duty, both whatever one may say of Mr. Aldrich, at home and abroad, upon the neck of few who know him will think he does commerce. Our own maximum and mini. not believe it, however impossible it mum scheme offers no exception to the would seem that he could. rule. An acute remark was made in the "Why do men admire widows?" inquires House the other day to the effect that a Dallas (Tex.) girl. It is not probable our dual tariff invokes the weight of gov-

ernental inertia in behalf of the maxi-

mum rates. In other words, unless the

President interposes by affirmative action,

the maximum rates become the effective

tariff duties. His mere inactivity, or a

ence of opinion over some hair-splitting

duty of 25 per cent ad valorem. It re-

quires no great stretch of the imagina-

tion to foresee the pressure that will be

the imposition of the maximum rates.

Wright Brothers and Signal Corps.

diplomatic failure to agree, or a differ

widows could tell, if they would. The report that Senator Aldrich will It may be your musty flat, now take a little pleasure trip through But real beds make up for that. Iowa and Indiana is, perhaps, greatly Town life, my lad. exaggerated.

Cheer up! December will bring back proposition, or even the capricious refusal | both Congress and Santa Claus.

Mr. Taft's message to the country anent the new tariff law somehow re minds one of that cheerful party who neets you in the morning after and, in response to your anxiously inquiring I had promised you some vegetables." look, says, "Oh, brace up. You don't look so -- bad!"

One thing that makes the Wright brothers so popular is while they admit

employed to justify that inertia. An of it, still, we shall miss Congress, been put into the hands of the President

Nobody yet has been able to discover er in the long run than buying a new where those Democratic conferees came hat every year. An admirer of the inventors has sug-

gested that the Wright brothers be ap-The latest Kansas drink, the "Jackpointed first lieutenants in the army Sigon cocktail," is made of hard cider and nal Corps. The proposition has the merit Jamaica ginger. Pink elephants and If the extraordinary session of Con- of novelty and, of course, is based on the Alice blue alligators probably are mollycoddles compared with the things that mixture conjures up.

would have accomplished something en- moreover, would regard such appointment bills," says the Toledo Blade. Well, the you like. as a distinction. As a matter of fact, government has nothing on the rest of times."

> Paderewski has been made an officer man lived in Kentucky, this would en- partner.

Old Guard, whether it would or no. It part of the heads of this and other gov- ever, is a very open question-wide open, variety is any more prohibitive, how- ages without a card index."

The Lincoln cent is pronounced beautiful and extremely artistic by nine critics tion. That is a distinction which a mili-It is not alone that Mr. Gore is pic- tary title cannot surpass; and, aside from for the rumor that it may be recalled. out of ten. Perhaps that is the reason

Oyster Bay had one advantage over intimately acquainted with the man and other inventors of more useful devices, a Presidentless President's town the

employed in that direction, for the pur- to imbibe any spirituous liquor. And if from morning till night and every day, there is one State in the Union where a that evil is evil, and that it would be their number banker, to whom they pay idly that the south bank of the Potomac Lowns, "It is possible to take a photopose of adding to the honors of inventors, man needs to be braced up while passing better if it were not so prevalent in this a penny or more a week. The most fruproviding them with official title, or giving them a regular income. The Wright

Baseball is said to be growing in poputhe Middle West should not be opposed for re-election by Democrats was the utterance of a high-minded and worthy utterance of a high-minded and worthy legislator. "I am a Democrat, but I real sorrow is until they get a baseball the facts. In the case of the theater, for large in the fac

> days, and says he has no desire for food," according to the Portland Telegram.

ogists. Here is ofpportunity to learn

mouth ten feet wide. Tut, tut. That or teacher or preacher would point out the almost never-falling moral interest in successful plays, there would be less in successful plays, there would be less these birds deserve the feathers. ten feet wide. "Equal rights to all men, and special fa- fered an interesting opportunity to learn been Senator "Jeff" Davis' justly cele-"Georgia is inclined to reform the mint

Gore really means it when he enunci- struggle for existence. A similar ex- julep by leaving out the ice," says the periment in Holland has proved unsatis- Nashville American. The idea being, From the Topeka Capital. presumably, that the ice occupies a lot of About the time a man is twenty-five he The Democracy has a fine asset—a big asset—in this blind Oklahoma Senator.

The Democracy has a fine asset—a big beneficiaries would not work. There has but to more satisfactory use.

The Democracy has a fine asset—a big beneficiaries would not work. There has begins looking for a cure for dandruff, and he keeps it up until he dies.

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## A LITTLE NONSENSE.

The streets are hot-but hully gee! You have their use without a fee. And, as you gad, There is no broken glass, no coze, that the men know exactly; but the No sand to work into your shoes. Home ain't so bad.

> Perhaps is not a primrose path, But one can get a decent bath, Home ain't so bad.

A Sidewalk Conversation. "How's your garden coming on?" "Why do you ask that question?" denanded the suburbanite suspiciously.

"Just out of politeness." "Glad to hear that. I thought maybe Anecdote from Real Life,

"Was your first meeting with your wife "Extremely so. It occurred at a panic.

"Seems extravagant, Si.

"I know; but mebbe it would be cheap-

You talk about your clothes of price This is the season when a man mes home accoutered in a nice \$200 coat of tan.

After Vacation.

Meeting Her Fate. 'Yes; I saw her at the seashore." 'I hear she met her fate down there?" "Well, you might put it that way, if ou like. She got engaged six or seven

That's Different.

"Can't you get a better grasp on the of the Legion of Honor. If the gentle- details of the business?" asked the senior

"This is a very large business," exclained the new clerk. Alabama intends, apparently, to try "I know; but you seem to be able to constitutional prohibition. Whether that keep up with the baseball batting aver-

Styles in Oratory.

metaphor, but she's too verbose,' speak.

that Lacks Real Basis. From the New York Evening Post.

At Chautauqua, another college lecturer swells the chorus of condemnation of passenger aboard a train in that State wicked plays. We do not need to be told Employes form clubs and make one of the national Capital is growing so rap-

should build for the whole country's may be placed on farms, "Back to the land" is a cry dens of government evenly and along the country where some of the dwellers and along the country where some of the state of Virginia. The small strip gestions of popular morality; what more may receive membership. The women is rich in historic associations, and Virginia man claims to have the convergence of the state of Virginia. The small strip gestions of popular morality; what more may receive lower pay, but they save give than the words of your their pennies. It goes without saying segregation of West Virginia during war virginia. The small strip as a simple one. As cangible remedy the second that it is a simple of the country where some of the dwellers in poverty in the country where some of the dwellers in poverty in the country where some of the dwellers in poverty in the country where some of the dwellers in poverty in the country where some of the state of Virginia. The small strip as the country where some of the dwellers in poverty in the country where some of the dwellers in poverty in the country where some of the dwellers in poverty in the country where some of the dwellers in poverty in the country where some of the state of Virginia. The small strip as the country where some of the state of Virginia and the strip as the country where some of the state of Virginia and the strip as the country where some of the state of Virginia and the strip as the country where some of the state of Virginia and the strip and the strip as the country where some of the state of Virginia and the strip as the country where some of the state of Virginia and the strip as the state of Virginia and the strip as the state of Virginia and the strip and the strip as the state of Virginia and the strip as the strip as the strip and the strip as the strip and the strip and the strip as the strip as the strip as the strip a

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Stick, it isn't necessarily so.

THE PHILOSOPHY OF

EVERY SATURDAY.

Our Motto: If you see it in The Big

FIFTEENTH STREET

The press is a mill which grinds all that is put into its hopper. Fill the hopper with poisoned grain and it will grind it to meal, but there is death

tonding the Esperanto Convention at Chautauqua, sends me this from Hawthorne: "Language—human language—after all, is but little better than the croak and cackle of fowls and other utterances of brute matter." I don't know what Allen

for it, it is no laughing matter,'

Even if the consumer it not a myth-and I don't believe he is-

Eddie Hood, accepting Shake-speare's saying, "Silence is the

speare's saying, "Silence is the perfectest herald of joy," says that

WE HEAR-

turned to our midst.

man's clerk, and club duties.

failed to bring back that long-lost

I don't know what Aller

## PEOPLE AND THINGS THE MEN EARN THEIR MONEY.

BACK IN TOWN.

A street railway company has been From the Chicago Evening Post. indicted in Lexington, Ky., for "creand members of the board of public the point where their health is in danger works were indicted for malfeasance of breaking under the strain. The gen-The finding of the grand eral belief, well founded or not, should ury was that the company had make exception in the case of the official needed repairs, while the municipal auing to repair its tracks until intended discussion of the Payne tariff bill began.

street improvements should be made.

Indicting a Street Railway.

The Strike in Sweden.

The general strike in Sweden has all its ramblings and interjections and in loaning or in borrowing reached proportions without precedent, with all its interruptions. The task of because the manufacturing industry of the official stenographer is the most trycapital have monopolized the iron, lum- cent earned. per, sugar, and distilling industries. In they have wings, they decline to lay claims to halos.

I was eating a very ripe tomato and some of it squirted into her eye."

When a new Congress meets the stechnographer's first duty is to learn the new companion of the whole. In 1900 there were 288,000 farmers who own their own land. This is a wider subdivision of land than thing Congress doesn't like, we are glad of it, still, we shall miss Congress.

Lettremely 80. It occurred at a panic. Is when a new Congress meets the stechnographer's first duty is to learn the new companion of the whole. In 1900 there were 288,000 farmers who own their own land. This is a wider subdivision of land than new members could read the notes of the first two or three days' proceedings they of it, still, we shall miss Congress, a million." on farms and in homes of their own.

An Expensive Hairdresser.

\$1,000 under the contract labor law for may run like this: importing an assistant to do Marcel waves. The case was brought up in 1908, when the hairdresser advertised in Lon-when the hairdresser advertised in Lon-appears in the Record in all the proper motoring in all its aspects, and said that don for an expert. The court held that dignity of rank and station, this method of doing up the hair was not a new industry in the United States. They keep their wits and their nerves and that a skilled practitioner could have through a wit and a nerve-racking or-been found in this country. It would seem deal. There may be some loafers in duct on this side of the Atlantic, what- have no fellowship with them. ever its quality may have been in the eyes of experts. Still, there might be new way as to detail, which might constitute a novely.

Municipal Automobiles.

The published facts concerning the use of automobiles owned by New York City by Tammany employes for "joy rides" to Coney Island and elsewhere are having of the District of Columbia. The Concept Island and elsewhere are having of the District of Columbia. The Concept Island and elsewhere are having of the District of Columbia. The plan is for the cameras to take aceffect in other cities, Mayor Hubbard, stitution provides for establishing the tual photographs of a car, in of Boston, has signed an ordinance providing for the lettering of such cars with the name, "City of Boston," and the name of the department to which they peak."

To be department to which they peak."

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To be department to which they peak and originally the district embraced such a territory. In 1846 Conname of the department to which they peak."

To be department to which they braced such a territory. In 1846 Conname of the department to which they peak and originally the district embraced such a territory. In 1846 Conname of the fraction of a second. "This gives the speed and means of belong. The ordinance further provides that the cars shall be painted a "distinctive color," but Mayor Hubbard has tinctive color, but Mayor Hubbard has the cars and originally the district embrace and originally the d not yet decided what the tint shall be. him, of course. But as one becomes more should be selected from among and above Beverly, Mass., however. It was not for the courts, but the courts, but the speed limit he be furnished with the phofeurs wear uniforms.

Scotch Holiday Funds.

vale of tears. Most of us will readily agal member of one of these clubs drew agree with nearly all the moralities and some moralistic anathemas nurled from pulpit found to his credit only forty-three cents. is quite the contrary. Your melodrama is paying salaries during vacations is dis- other property, including the National Saunders S. Talbot, of Kansas City, at "A California man has fasted thirty one long how of intense virtue; your tinctively American, although it is slowly Cemetery, on the south play of manners is an earnest attempt to being imitated broad. But the variation properly belongs within the District. show mankind its social weaknesses; in the sums saved indicates that the proaccording to the Portland Telegram. your romantic drama holds up amid pop-Surely, the beef trust will lose no time glar applause the noblest and most in rather than a national trait. It is signifi-territory in question, and the only obsetts a homestead commission whose string patent rights to that man's spiring goodness; even your vaudeville cant that the women's holiday clubs in jection is a sentimental one on the part and your musical comedy are full of sug- Scotland are more prosperous than those of the State of Virginia. The small strip or teacher or preacher would point out cashed, much of it goes to the dress- objections would not be insuperable

Literary Origins,

From the New York Sun to Congress at the regular session in De-Goldsmith had just written the "Deserted Village." "Got the idea from Washington with

Heretofore all thought it mildly drawn

the Uplift.

TWO CENTS.

# COMMENT ON THE TARIFF.

The Aldrich Incubus. From the New York Evening Post

> The Consumer's Share, From the Boston Herald.

ommittee of the Washington Chamber

of Commerce has charge of the move-

will be a real test of friendship.

No Rest for Saints.

From the New York Journal of Commer How it is to work we shall be finding out t

An Equitable Measure.

principle of equitable taxation more fundamental.

A Decided Dissent. From the Charleston News and Courier.

have forced upon the President and the country. New Industrial Conquests. From the Philadelphia Press.

Visibly the land looks out on new industrial con-

A New Stimulus, From the New York Herald.

the way" everybody now knows where he stands for some time to come, and that fact will undoubtedly give a new stimulus to industry and

Let Well Enough Alone. From the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

the strongest popular demand is that the tariff shall be let alone for a time, that business may adapt itself to the new conditions without fear of further change.

Prosperity Despite Travesty.

From the New York Sun Let us make ready for the national prosperity that seems to be determined to rush down upon us and overwhelm us, not because of this wretched

And Sometimes Bathers. From the Cleveland Leader.

"What is contained in sea water?" inquired the chemistry teacher, 

At Least, Let Us Hope So. From the Boston Travele

good in the headlines. Some day, when Aldrich and his puppets have passed, they may spell it "right."

EXPLAINING.

My sense of sight is very keen, My sense of hearing weak, One time I saw a mountain pass, But could not hear its peak. -Oliver Herford.

Why, Ollie, that you failed in this Is not so very queer.
To hear its peak you should, you know,

Have had a mountaincer -Boston Transcript.

# AT THE HOTELS

"American firms dealing in the Far East must acquaint themselves with a number of unusual business methods,' There is a general inclination to beating, maintaining, and suffering a lieve that the employes of the House and public nuisance," while the mayor Senate in Washington are not worked to Hongkong; at the New Willard, last night. Prominent among these is the comprador system, which has its high-

Stenographers Who Follow the Tar

iff Debate Have No Sinecures.

The work of the debate reporters is

one that allows no lagging of mind or

EXTENDING THE DISTRICT.

Why It Is Desirable to Regain Land

Given Back to Virginia.

est development in China. "Business houses deal with the Chioperated its system without making make exception in the case of the official nese through a Chinese agent known needed repairs, while the municipal automatical a thorities had failed to compel compliport the debates. These faithful workance with a contract with the city. The men have set down and turned into copy was simply a man who engaged servdefense of the company is that it is wait- for the printers 9,776,000 words since the ants and bought supplies in the native markets. For years the system has been developing, however, until now practical all the business of foreigners with Chinese is done through agents of this hand. They must take every speech with sort, whether it be in buying or selling, "In many firms," continued Mr. Parks,

"the comprador is a partner. In many the country is in a narrow area, while ing one that the government sets, and, instances he is in reality the owner the number of employes has doubled moreover, the lawmakers appreciate the within twenty years. Combinations of fact. The pay is good, and it is every manages it, and uses the name of a When a new Congress meets the ste- from the many abuses which obtain in where in 1890, with just the same pop- ber is speaking, and suddenly a new-ulation as Sweden, 426,000 families lived comer, feeling the yeast of his impor-banked as a check or draft. All servants tance working within him, springs to his are engaged by the comprador of the feet to interrupt. The stenographer does firm, and he is responsible for them. In not know him, but he makes his note of short, there is no limit to what a com-A Pittsburg hairdresser has been fined certain identification, which very likely prador may do under the present system in China.' "Southeast corner; tall guy; red whis-

to ascertain the exact speed at which motor cars are traveling is a question been found in this country. It would seem deal. There may be some loafers in that there as an abundant of the pro- Washington, but the debate reporters of equal importance to conscientious and careful motorists, who wish to obey the

"A new time-recording camera has recently been patented in England. If the police wish to know the speed at which a motor car is traveling, two of the time-From the Omaha Bee.

Both in and out of Congress an agitarecording cameras can be placed at each end of the trap, the distance between seat of government in a district ten miles people in the car, as it passed the se-

Virginia. There is a serious question as accurate. It is proposed that when a consensus of opinion is that recession tographs of the car entering and leaving to Virginia would be the better remedy the 'trap,' and the time records, and be even if the State were to be recompensed given an apportunity before appearing in

bank which the National last night.

"The great evils of the system, so easy to point out, and so hard to remedy except at the expense of the taxpayers, has lived through it all, and the reason therefor is a simple one. No tangible remedy payers of the State \$275,000 a year. proposition of the Populists to employ the convicts on the public highways has been thrashed over for the last twenty ment for the enlargement of the District and will probably present the proposal being impracticable, for a number of reabeing impracticable, for a number of rea-sons that appear valid, not the least among them being the great cost to the

> "To employ, say, three-fourths of the 2,100 convicts on the public highways," added Mr. Talbot, "would necessitate the State's employing a small standing army to prevent their escape and keep them at work. It would be necessary also to construct stockades.

"And there is another feature connected with the plan that a good many have evidently overlooked, and that is the Will the consumer share in the benefit? This prejudice in the rural districts against the presence of desperate men.

"Twenty years or more ago the State leased a farm across the Missouri River, in Callaway County, nearly opposite the penitentiary, with the intention of emse course of a year, and there will be no rest ploying some of the best convicts there in raising products for the use of the prison. The Callaway County farmers living in the vicinity, through fear for their families, became so incensed at the Increase on luxuries, decrease on necessities; presence of these felons in their midst this is the summary of the tariff, and there is no that a committee waited upon the board presence of these felons in their midst of prison inspectors, and gave them the ultimatum of either removing the convicts forthwith or seeing them shot down. The board took the hint, for the farmers Better no tariff legislation at all than tariff leg- were in earnest. Women and children slation of the sort Mr. Payne and Mr. Aldrich were afraid to be left alone in that vicinity, and they lived in a constant state of terror.'

Speaking of pipes, Carl A. Felder, of quests in this measure. It recasts its taxation. It that it is not generally known that a Philadelphia, who is at the Raleigh, said adds immeasurably to the scope, the power, and meerschaum pipe will not color unless it is given a good finish.

"It is the wax and the finishing materials," said Mr. Felder, "which are With the law completed and "Congress out of used in polishing the bowl which gives smoked. The raw meerschaum will not color. Neither will a pipe color if the bowl is fingered or handled while it is hot. Many smokers fail to get a color to their fine meerschaum pipes because they cover the bowls with chamois when they smoke.

"All pipes after smoking should be permitted to cool before the ashes are knocked from the bowl. An amber bit makes the best stem for a pipe because it is cool and is easily cleaned. Cellu-loid absorbs the nicotine. Rubber or horn are much better than this material."

"The venerable professor at a large ravesty of tariff legislation in the year of our Eastern university had been noticing for Lord nineteen hundred and nine, but in spite some time that a young man on the front row of one of the classes apparently never paid the slightest heed to his lectures. One day, becoming exasperated at this conduct, the professor testily asked. 'See here, young man; what do you mean by coming into my class day after day and never taking notes?" 'I have my father's,' was the calm rejoinder. The professor made no further remarks."

This little incident was related by from the Boston Traveler.

"Wright Wins in Washington" looks Riggs, last night.

A Slap at Chewing Gum,

From the Chicago Record-Herald. The Lincoln pennies are not giving satisfaction. It appears that they are too thick to be dropped into the slot machines, and the slot machine people are indignant. How careless it was of the authorities to go ahead with the matter without obtaining the approval of

### the slot machine interests. Two-dollar Bill Unpopular.

From the Waterbury Republican. A Washington dispatch says that the two-dollar bill is unpopular and is to be retired. Up this way a two-dollar bill is twice as popular as a one-dollar bill.

But if I saw a mountain pass, My eye I'd never drop;
I'd keep it turned upon the height,
And see the mountain's top. -Philadelphia Public Ledger. mand as a five or ten.

There has been created in Massachuwork will be to secure tracts of land in system. familiar among sociol He is very convincing in debate, and been better success in Australia, where woe betide the adversary who attacks houses and land are turned over, under him ever so slightly unprepared. He certain conditions, to impoverished perand the worst of them-and made it ex- France during the past twenty years has tremely uncomfortable for many of them, shown good results, perhaps because of He backs up his assertions with figures some care in the selection of the settlers. And, happily enough, too, he has an this country, while not of long standing

brothers are entitled to all possible honor.

Reluctant Country Dwellers.

lieving to some extent the congestion on the East Side. It seems simple enough to say that per-One happy characteristic of the protec- sons who starve in cities ought to go tive policy is that it sometimes becomes to the country, where they will be next too burdensome for even its strongest to the source of wealth, while their bodadvocates. Hence, various devices, like les are strengthened by healthful surcommercial agreements, reciprocity, and roundings. But this proposition does not dual tariffs, for the ostensible purpose hold in practice. There are people who of mitigating the injury done to com- hate the country, and others who are merce by prohibitive or obstructive im- unfitted for its life. Ancestral habit does posts. If these devices were honestly not hold. The Irish immigrant, of rural framed and applied, they would effect traditions, associates discomfort and an appreciable lightening of the tariff squalor with the field and farm. To the burden on the free movement of com- Celtic nature the city seems a fairyland modities from one country to another, of golden opportunity. Moreover, the But they are not; for the effort of high city spells politics, dear to the Irish tariff statesmen everywhere is to cir- heart. Upon the other hand, descendants cumvent each other by raising tariffs of agricultural nations make natural for the purpose of reducing them, and so farmers-Scandinavians and Germans giving the appearance of concession know as by instinct how to take care

Folks possessed of a desire to tell Con-

gress good-by certainly had to halloo quick after adjournment.

What an obliging humbug it is all country, and that all classes will benefit greatly by it," said Senator Aldrich just The tendency of all this tariff trickery before the vote on the tariff bill. And

Conservation Were Better.

THE BIG STICK

WASHINGTON, AUGUST 7, 1909.

















TO CONGRESS. LOOKING BACKWARD. BY YE LOCAL SCRIBE. Who is it views the landscape with

Not always do we really like your style,

The methods you are often ouight employing are not pleasing to the common Who is it thinks we're on a wave Many happy. Mayhap it does fall out that in Who is ought to be-Indeed, we think there're one or Mr. Aldrich, Mr. Aldrich.

We might suggest-even three! what has he to complain about? Did not Izaak Walton say, "No man can lose what he never had?" With all your faults, however, "Sloth makes all things difficult," said Poor Richard, "but industry, all things easy," I quote this approvingly, because the weather has we're confessing We think you fairly earn your , we hate to see you

Voice from Home.

Gus Karger tells me that he agrees perfectly with Schiller and well meaning;

And so, despite the funny stunts

Who is it runs the Senate as he wants the Senate as he wants the Senate run?

Mr. Aldrich.

James Hood is hot-weathering in agrees perfectly with Schiller and Jerry Mathews that "a jest loses its point when he who makes it is first to laugh." So do I. you do, Somehow we seem to have a sort

of leaning
To say, "Well, Congress, here's a
health to yout"
THE POET LAUREATE.

FREE COMMENTARIES. Members of Congress bave taken a new lease on life since spunk is to be admitted free of duty.

Frank Reeside will take advantage of free dying and tanning articles and color his hair.

Ralph Lee is indignant at the free entry of spirits of turpentine, while all other spirits are taxed.

George Fleming is terribly shock
George Fleming is terribly shock-That Judge Crutchfield has rehave joined the Tansan Club.

That the night clerk at the Union Station news stand is too pretty to while all other spirits are taxed, be polite.

That Joe Breckons and Senator dat the idea of allowing undresseu furs to enter without charge.

George Fleming is terribly shocked at the idea of allowing undresseu furs to enter without charge.

That W. G. Russell is willing to undertake a few more extra jobs besides his Post-office, Congressman's clerk, and club duties, will get rich.

R. N. Harper is going around in high glee. Bullion-gold and silver to on the free list. Everybody will get rich. But found the trusts (as usual) That Edwin Campbell, of the P.

O. Department, has returned from his tour of old Virginia, and that chaser of \$100 worth of china, be-

"Campbell ginning August 9.
t long-lost Dr. Wiley is elated over the admule."

mission, free of duty, of arsenic, benzolc, and other like delicacies. It makes his job easy.

Johnny Monk will summer in our

"Good-bye, Congress. Take keer Congratulations, George Brown! of great prosperity?

It is it with one-half an eye tioning with his sor Dick Oulahan is Yukon Expostyour movements much better times can see?

Cliff Berryman, in his new flannels, is a symphony in white. B. H. Warner is whiling

ts

well, yes, or

Mr. Aldrich, Mr. Aldrich, our chapeau is off to you;

You can prove that one and one make six, and six from ten fourned. Reginald Schroeder will in there really any little stunt with figures you can't do?

Mr. Aldrich, Mr. Aldrich, of Rhode Island.

Mr. Aldrich and K. Al he Bob Tracewell is a baseball "steady," A case of hope long deferred not making the heart sick.

it's precisely done?

Mr. Aldrich.

Waskington, with week-end trips to the Blue Ridge Chub, and keeping perfectly happy. a feolish lot of gents?

Who is it in our pecketbooks puts large and hellow dents?

Who is it makes his opponents

Who is it makes his opponents and "Yank" Coolidge.

resemble thirty cents?

Ma Aldrich, Mr. Aldrich.

Chorus:

Mr. Aldrich, Mr. Aldrich, you're a vonder; yes you are a vonder; yes you are a constant of the called a flower (bowl, not a punch bowl.

Charge.

That the old fence 'round the Botanic Garden is retained to conceal the defects within. Down with the fence, say we.

Charge.

Acorns being on the free list, J. H. Magnuder announces that he defects within. Down with will specialize the delicacy after Monday.

A farmer had a flock of sheep Which flock was very nice, And every time he sold their fleece His elothes cost added price.

Had beat him out of sight. "What makes the trusts love Congress so?"

The ignorant people cried;
"Oh. Congress loves the trusts, you know."

"Standard From drowning at Atlantic City. The probable truth is that the Judge was floating, and the other man, mistaking him for an island, climbed and cli

Judge Hough is claiming to have

The wise ones they replied.

-By Tzaddi Koph. Read the Bingville Bugle to-morrow.

new one."

enator Hemenway

The grand stand at the ball park will now miss the smiling countenances of those two thirty-third-degree fars—"Sunny Jim" and ex-

. It distresses us to see the Gotham Weekly Gazette getting yellow, Ed-itor Adams has not been quite